



GA AMERICORPS PROGRAMS 2019-20 PY

City of Roswell | *City of Roswell AmeriCorps Afterschool Project*

Federal Award: \$76,150

Areas served: Metro Atlanta

Focus: Education

Description: The City of Roswell proposes to have 20 AmeriCorps members (6 MSYs) who will provide academic curriculum support through the two sub recipients (Ed Isakson/Alpharetta YMCA and STAR House Foundation) in their Esther Jackson, Hembree Springs, Mimosa, and Vickery Mill after school programs. Members will be responsible for providing literacy and other academic instruction through daily small groups that help K-5 underperforming students read on grade level.

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Clayton State University | *Clayton State University AmeriCorps Program*

Federal Award: \$144,784

Areas served: Metro Atlanta

Focus: Education

Description: The Clayton State University AmeriCorps Program proposes to have 28 AmeriCorps members who will prepare students attending high schools in Clayton County, Georgia for postsecondary education by providing weekly academic support, monthly college readiness enrichment sessions, and community service opportunities each semester.

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Communities in Schools | *CISGA AmeriCorps Foundations Tutorial Program*

Federal Award: \$195,364

Areas served: Multiple locations in GA

Focus: Education

Description: Communities In Schools of Georgia, proposes to have 26 AmeriCorps members who will accelerate at-risk students' academic progress through tutoring and mentoring of reading/math in Communities In Schools of Georgia local affiliates areas to include: Atlanta-Fulton County, GA; Troup County, GA; Milledgeville-Baldwin County, GA; Glascock County, GA; Augusta- Richmond County, GA; Dodge County, GA; Ben Hill County, GA; and Savannah-Chatham County, GA.

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Covenant House Georgia, Inc. | *CHGA AmeriCorps*

Federal Award: \$149,544

Areas served: Metro Atlanta

Focus: Economic Opportunity and Education

Description: Covenant House Georgia (CHGA) proposes to have 10 AmeriCorps service members who will engage with enrolled homeless youth to foster their wellbeing and partner with them to further their education, improve employment, and enhance future opportunities. Members will serve on CHGA's main campus.

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Extra Special People, Inc. | *ESP AmeriCorps Program*

Federal Award: \$82,113

Areas served: Watkinsville, GA

Focus: Education

Description: Extra Special People, Inc. (ESP) proposes to have 6 full-time AmeriCorps members who will improve the quality of life for individuals with disabilities and their families in Northeast Georgia through increasing the number of children and adults with disabilities and families who have access to support services and recreational therapy programs through the provision of targeted, local school outreach, increasing the number of program opportunities for individuals with disabilities, expanding family support to families of a child with a disability, and by providing on-site and community job training and vocational experiences for adults with disabilities in the Watkinsville area.

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Georgia Alliance of Boys & Girls Clubs Inc. | *GA Alliance of Boys & Girls Clubs AmeriCorps*

Federal Award: \$150,017

Areas served: Multiple locations in GA

Focus: Education

Description: The Georgia Alliance of Boys & Girls Club Inc. proposes to have 20 PT AmeriCorps members who will serve as Enrichment Instructors for at-risk vulnerable youth. Services include tutoring, after school enrichment activities, summer day camps, conflict-resolution skills, bullying prevention skills, health education, STEM, and organized recreation. AmeriCorps members will serve youth in 64 counties in Georgia, primarily rural in rural communities. AmeriCorps members will also engage these children in health education through the Triple Play program to help increase their knowledge of healthy lifestyle choices and engagement in physical activity and decrease the potential for childhood obesity.

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Georgia Sea Turtle Center | *AmeriCorps GSTC*

Federal Award: \$337,068

Areas served: Jekyll Island, GA

Focus: Environmental Stewardship and Education

Description: The Georgia Sea Turtle Center on Jekyll Island, proposes to place 24 AmeriCorps members in service with sea turtle and other wildlife education, rehabilitation, and research. AmeriCorps members will be responsible for increasing environmental awareness within the community as demonstrated by educating guests. Members will also leverage an additional volunteers that will serve hours supporting conservation initiatives and positive impacts on sea turtle species as demonstrated by the rehabilitation of turtles.

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Georgia State University Research Foundation Inc. | *T.E.E.M.S. AmeriCorps*

Federal Award: \$194,796

Areas served: Metro Atlanta

Focus: Education

Description: The T.E.E.M.S. (Technology, Engineering, Environment, Math and Science) AmeriCorps program, housed in the Alonzo A. Crim Center for Urban Educational Excellence at Georgia State University's College of Education and Human Development proposes to have 26 Part-time AmeriCorps members who will serve alongside formal and informal educators as a way of strengthening K-12 student STEM performance at public schools and community organizations in metro-Atlanta.

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Hands on Atlanta, Inc. | *Hands on Atlanta AmeriCorps*

Federal Award: \$

Areas served: Metro Atlanta

Focus: Education

Description: Hands On Atlanta, Inc. proposes to have 51 AmeriCorps members who will provide literacy/math tutoring, social and emotional learning (SEL) skill-building, and after-school educational enrichment to economically-disadvantaged elementary students in City of Atlanta, Fulton County, DeKalb County, and Cobb County, Georgia. AmeriCorps members will be responsible for improving academic performance in literacy and academic performance in math. In addition, the AmeriCorps members will leverage volunteers who will be engaged in serving economically-disadvantaged elementary students and their families through wrap-around services such as after-school educational enrichment, weekend backpack meals, parent engagement, and teen service learning opportunities.

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New American Pathways | *AmeriCorps Project RISE*

Federal Award: \$227,858

Areas served: Metro Atlanta

Focus: Education

Description: New American Pathways, Inc., (New AP) proposes to have 21 AmeriCorps members who will support refugee and immigrant self-sufficiency and long-term success by offering individualized direct service through education in core programs, including both youth afterschool/summer academic programming and adult education, operating in multiple DeKalb County sites.

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Northwest Georgia Healthcare Partnership, Inc. | *NWGHP AmeriCorps*

Federal Award: \$88,836

Areas served: Dahlonega, GA

Focus: Healthy Futures

Description: The Northwest Georgia Healthcare Partnership (NGHP) proposes to have 10 AmeriCorps members who will serve as associate promotoras, assisting NHGP's full-time promotoras with providing culturally appropriate services such as health care education, mentorship, and translation in Murray

County and Whitfield County, Georgia. The AmeriCorps members will be responsible for helping low-income, medically underserved Hispanic clients.

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One World Link | *One World Link AmeriCorps Project*

Federal Award: \$150,101

Areas served: Macon, GA

Focus: Economic Opportunity

Description: One World Link proposes to have 10 AmeriCorps members who will provide career mentoring, volunteer opportunities, and soft and hard skills workshops in Macon. The host sites include Mercer University, United Way of Central Georgia, New Town Macon and the Motivating Youth Foundation.

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Relay Graduate School of Education | *Relay GA AmeriCorps Teaching Program*

Federal Award: \$37,500

Areas served: Metro Atlanta

Focus: Education

Description: Relay Graduate School of Education proposes to have 50 full-time AmeriCorps Professional Corps members who will participate in Atlanta Public Schools and KIPP Metro Atlanta in the innovative teacher residency program, the Relay Georgia Teaching Residency across Atlanta. AmeriCorps members will be responsible for improving outcomes for K-12 students and being prepared and certified to serve as full-time teachers, poised for a career improving educational and life outcomes for students in low-income communities.

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The Scholarship Academy, Inc. | *AmeriCorps Financial Aid AmeriCorps Program*

Federal Award: \$90,852

Areas served: Metro Atlanta

Focus: Education

Description: The Scholarship Academy proposes to have 5 Full-Time AmeriCorps members who will serve as Facilitators of a Financial Aid Prep Course, Host Quarterly Financial Aid Awareness Events and Conduct County-Wide Financial Aid Assessments and Trainings in school system in the metro-Atlanta area. AmeriCorps members will be responsible for increasing the financial aid awareness of economically-disadvantaged high school students. Through this volunteer engagement pipeline, AmeriCorps members will guide community leaders in teaching families how to create 4- year college funding plans and training students how to research and understand financial aid options.

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Teach For America | *Teach For America – Metro Atlanta*

Federal Award: \$63,500

Areas served: Metro Atlanta

Focus: Education

Description: Teach For America - Metro Atlanta proposes to have professional AmeriCorps members who will teach for two years in low-income and disadvantaged schools in Atlanta Public Schools, Clayton County Public Schools, and Fulton County Schools, going above and beyond traditional expectations to help their students achieve at high levels. AmeriCorps members will be responsible for increasing the academic achievement of the students they teach.

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United Way of Metro Atlanta | *AmeriCorps Project Health Access*

Federal Award: \$104,716

Areas served: Metro Atlanta

Focus: Healthy Futures

Description: The United Way of Greater Atlanta proposes to have seven AmeriCorps members who will serve in health clinics, community-led non-profits, homeless service organizations, and hospitals across the region to deliver targeted health education, care coordination services and outreach in Clayton, Fulton, and DeKalb counties. The AmeriCorps members will be responsible for increasing access to health services for uninsured or under-insured individuals in our service area. In addition, the AmeriCorps members will leverage an additional volunteers who will be engaged in increasing access to care for the underserved communities in metro-Atlanta.

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The University of Georgia | *Georgia 4H AmeriCorps Project*

Federal Award: \$486,144

Areas served: 43 counties in GA

Focus: Education

Description: The University of Georgia 4-H proposes to have 41 AmeriCorps members who will deliver research-based positive youth development (PYD) programming to students in grades 4-12, including the following interventions: in-school educational club meetings and Project Achievement in the following counties: Appling, Baldwin, Banks, Barrow, Ben Hill, Bibb, Bleckley, Bryan, Bulloch, Burke, Catoosa, Chatham, Cherokee, Cobb, Coffee, Crisp, Decatur, Dougherty, Douglas, Effingham, Fannin, Floyd, Fulton, Gilmer, Greene, Gwinnett, Laurens, Murray, Muscogee, Oglethorpe, Peach, Pulaski, Putnam, Rockdale, Spalding, Stephens, Sumter, Tift, Turner, Washington, and Wilkes counties. The AmeriCorps members will be responsible for reaching students through in-school educational club meetings with students experiencing a change in knowledge related to content presented; reaching students through Project Achievement, youth experiencing a change in knowledge of best practices of public speaking and youth experiencing a change in confidence related to public speaking.

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Youth Villages-Inner Harbour Campus | *Youth Villages AmeriCorps Program*

Federal Award: \$212,880

Areas served: Douglasville, GA

Focus: Education and Economic Opportunity

Description: Youth Villages proposes to have 12 full-time and 2 half-time AmeriCorps members, all serving in full-time capacity, who will offer tutoring, life skills, service learning, and enrichment activities at the Youth Villages-Inner Harbour Campus residential facility/accredited school in Douglasville, GA. Members will be responsible for increased academic engagement, improved civic engagement, and positive address of life skill deficit areas in a vulnerable population of youth with severe emotional and behavioral issues. In addition, Members will provide community-strengthening activities to local nonprofits and organizations and leverage volunteers, who will be engaged in meeting on-campus and community needs.

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